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In re

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METHOD OF TREATING HAIR LOSS USING
NON-IMMUNOSUPPRESSIVE COMPOUNDS

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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

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Assistant Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

Please amend the application as follows prior to calculation of the filing fees.

IN THE CLAIMS

Substitute the following claims for the corresponding numbered claims in the application.

3. (Amended) A method according to Claim 1 wherein:
 - (a) R₄ is selected from the group consisting of 2-methylpropyl, 2-methyl-3-hydroxypropyl, 2-methylbutyl, *iso*-propyl, 2-hydroxypropyl, and methyl;
 - (b) R₅ is selected from the group consisting of 2-methylpropyl, *n*-butyl, and *iso*-propyl; and
 - (c) R₅' is selected from the group consisting of hydrogen, methyl, and 1-propenyl.
4. (Amended) A method according to Claim 1 wherein R₂ is ethyl and R₃ is selected from the group consisting of hydrogen and benzyl.

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